

35220

SEE BOTTOM OF PAGE FOR ADDITIONAL SPECIAL CONTROLS, IF ANY	
C-O-N-F-I-D-E-N-T-I-A-L INFORMATION REPORT	
PREPARED AND DISSEMINATED BY CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY	
COUNTRY China (Taiwan)	25X1A29
SUBJECT Taiwan College/Determination to Support the Defense of Offshore Islands	DATE DISTRIBUTED 25 JUL 1955
PLACE ACQUIRED (By source) 25X1A6a-	NO. OF PAGES 1
DATE ACQUIRED (By source)	NO. OF ENCLS.
DATE OF INFORMATION (Date or dates, on or between which, events or conditions described in report existed) 28 Mar 55	SUPPLEMENT TO REPORT #
	RESPONSIVE TO
	OO/C- 18403 25X1A9a

SOURCE

THIS IS UNEVALUATED INFORMATION

25X1X6

- On 28 Mar 55, following the Taiwan College flag raising ceremony, Dr Eng TK Tsing, president of the College made a speech. The speech was a briefing on the current hostilities and the firm policy of the Chinese government to hold Kinmen and Matsu. He stated that the "ceasefire negotiation" can never relax the tension in the Far East; therefore, Nationalist China will defend Kinmen and Matsu with or without outside help.
- The speech stimulated the whole college to united action. Shortly after the meeting, a cable was addressed to President Chiang Kai-shek, voicing solid support behind the government's pronounced determination to fight for the defense of the offshore islands. The cable stressed that the Mobilization Engineering Corps of the College will be immediately available to the government whenever their services are needed.
- A mobilization engineering corps has been organized by the junior and senior students. This engineering corps consists of six working units, each of which represent one of the six engineering departments of the college.
 

Vehicle Repairs .....	Mechanical Engineering Dept
Telecommunication .....	Electrical Engineering Dept
Chemical Engineering .....	Chemical Engineering Dept
Sabotage Activities .....	Mining & Metallurgical Engineering Dept
Highway Engineering .....	Civil Engineering Dept
Dug-out Construction .....	Architectural Engineering Dept
- The staff of professors cabled a separate message to the compatriots of the whole nation, saying that it is the solemn duty of every citizen of Nationalist China to support the government in its professed determination to defend Kinmen and Matsu and to contribute all they have for their country.

Suly

C 200

TYPE ACT-DATE INFO-TFR-DATE

- end

65-51.3,4

280

8055-55

IDENTI

S State  
Loc 5

C-O-N-F-I-D-E-N-T-I-A-L	
STATE	AIR

NOFORN

NO DISSEM ABROAD

LIMITED

LIMITED: Dissemination limited to intelligence components, CIA, AEC and FBI; and, within State and Defense, to the intelligence components, other offices producing NIS elements, and other sections with their immediate supporting staffs. Information is not to be disseminated to consultants, external projects or reserve personnel on short term active duty (excepting individuals who are normally full-time employees of CIA, AEC, FBI, State or Defense) unless the written permission of the originating office has been obtained through the Assistant Director for Collection and Dissemination, CIA.